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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Phillip D. Bondurant et al

Application No.: 09 / 713,415

Filed: 11/15/2000

For: Method and Apparatus for In Situ
Inspection of Reformer Tube

Group Art Unit: 2877

Examiner: PHAM, HOA Q.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT ELECTION

In response to the Office Action dated 09/20/2002 (Paper No. 4), please make the following election:

Please elect species No. I, claims 1-12 and 29-31.

Cancel Claims

Please cancel claims to species II and II, claims 13-28.

REMARKS

A petition pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.137(b) to revive and unintentionally abandoned application is being submitted concurrently, herewith.

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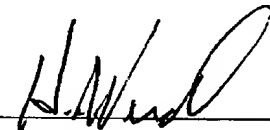
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Conclusions

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of this application and the timely allowance of the pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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